REMARKS

In the Specification, headings and paragraphs for missing Page 1 have been added. The headings added are the invention's title namely "Multi-player Secondary Gaming Method and System," "Claim of Priority" and "Background of the Invention." The paragraphs added are: paragraph [0000.1], which reflects priority information for the provisional application filed a year earlier, and paragraph [0000.2] – paragraph [0000.5], which discuss general background information about gaming systems.

It is respectfully requested that the priority claim and Amendment be entered as no new matter has been added.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 510-343-5500.

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